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For: APPARATUS WITH THUMBNAI IMAGE)	
DATA PROCESSING FUNCTION AND)	
METHOD FOR PROCESSING THUMBNAI)	
IMAGE DATA)	

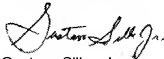
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Dear Sir:

Applicant filed the above-identified application on April 14, 2004, but has not yet received a first Office Action. Please advise the undersigned attorney as to when a first Office Action is expected to issue on this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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